

1 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method and means is disclosed for remotely reading the status of and
controlling irrigation components and ancillary equipment. A handheld remote user
interface (RUI) is provided which includes a display and a keypad. The RUI has the
ability to communicate with and control the irrigation components using built-in wireless
telemetry technology. The RUI allows the user to read the status of and control the
irrigation components and ancillary equipment from any location in the field, without
requiring the user to be at the irrigation component controls or at a specific location in
the field.

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